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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO OFFICIAL ACTION**

Applicants, through counsel, respectfully request a Two (2) month extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), or such other extension of time as is necessary, to respond to the Office Action dated June 17, 2008 currently due September 17, 2008. Please charge the fee of \$490.00, and any additional fees or surcharges necessary to make this response timely, to the deposit account of the undersigned corporation, Deposit Account No. 03-3325, and credit any overpayment.

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